Docket No.

290075US40PCT

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masaki HAMADA

SERIAL NO: 10/579,891

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FOR:

DENIAL-OF-SERVICE ATTACK DEFENSE SYSTEM, DENIAL-OF-SERVICE ATTACK DEFENSE

MAIL STOP PC

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METHOD, AND DENIAL-OF-SERVICE ATTACK DEFENSE PROGRAM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

## SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Second Preliminary Amendment

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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**PROGRAM** 

## SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.